# Division of Water Human Health Criteria (HHC) Technical Workgroup Meeting #7 Agenda May 11, 2016

**Purpose** The purpose of the technical workgroup is to review and provide feedback on key technical issues, identified by DEC, that affect how Alaska will develop human health criteria in State water quality standards.

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## **Expected Meeting Outcome(s):**

- 1. Address questions from the Technical Workgroup associated with the format of the Workgroup Report (draft 11-12-15) and language to date
- 2. Discuss key technical issues associated with application of HHC at a statewide, regional or site specific scale
- 3. Provide a "platform" of common knowledge for future meetings on this issue.

### Agenda

- Recap of Issue 3: What is the appropriate level of protection for Alaskans?
- Introduce Issue 2: What options does Alaska have for developing criteria on a statewide/regional/site-specific basis?
- HHC Issue Gap Inventory needs workgroup member comments
- Summer Break and Next Steps
- Public Comment

### **Meeting Documents**

- 1. Technical Workgroup Notebook
  - a. Chapter 4: Methodology for Deriving Ambient Water Quality Criteria for the Protection of Human Health (2000): (NOTE THAT THIS DOCUMENT WILL NOT BE IN THE NOTEBOOK DUE TO SIZE OF DOCUMENT) <a href="http://water.epa.gov/scitech/swguidance/standards/upload/2005\_05\_06\_criteria\_humanhealth\_method\_complete.pdf">http://water.epa.gov/scitech/swguidance/standards/upload/2005\_05\_06\_criteria\_humanhealth\_method\_complete.pdf</a>
  - b. IDM publication
  - c. DEC Poster Abstract

#### **Action Plan**

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